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Title: **System for Standardized Mainframe Connection and Method
for Connecting With A Mainframe**
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Dear Sir:

Attached is a new patent application for filing in the United States Patent and Trademark Office including eleven (11) pages of Specification, three (3) pages of Claims (numbered 1-18), one (1) page Abstract and four (4) sheets of Drawings (labeled Figs. 1-5).

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